

Does your child need health care coverage?

MO HealthNet for Kids may be the answer.

MO HealthNet for Kids is a program that provides healthcare coverage for children under age 19 whose family income falls within certain guidelines. (See back for income guidelines)

Who Is Eligible?

A child:

- who is under age 19;
- who has or applies for a social security number;
- who lives in Missouri and intends to remain;
- who is a United States citizen or an eligible qualified non-citizen (NOTE: receipt of MO HealthNet benefits does NOT subject qualified non-citizens to public charge consideration);
- the parent must cooperate with Child Support Enforcement (CSE) in the pursuit of medical support; and
- who has countable family income which meets the income guidelines.

MO HealthNet for Kids Non-SCHIP

- 196% Federal Poverty Level (FPL) for children under age 1
- 148% FPL for ages 1-18

MO HealthNet for Kids (SCHIP) Non-Premium

- Family gross income over 148% FPL up to 150% FPL; and
- Child is uninsured

MO HealthNet for Kids (SCHIP) Premium

- Family gross income over 150% FPL up to 300% FPL;
- · Child is uninsured; and
- Children in families with gross income over 150% FPL without access to affordable health insurance (from \$115 to \$311 per month, based on family size and income) and the family must pay a monthly premium. Premium amounts change in July of each year. The premium is based on family size and income to ensure that no family pays more than 5% of their income for coverage.

To Apply:

- <u>On line</u> at <u>mydss.mo.gov/healthcare</u>. Please send an email to <u>Cole.MHNPolicy@dss.mo.gov</u> with subject line "Facility Outreach" to let us know to watch for your application. Include the parent's name, child's name, and child's date of birth.
- **By telephone** at 1-855-373-9994. When speaking with a representative please tell them this is a "Facility Outreach" Application.
- Request an application from 1-855-FSD-INFO (1-855-373-4636). Please write "Facility Outreach" at the top of the application.
- <u>Print an application</u> online at <u>dssmanuals.mo.gov/wp-content/uploads/2020/09/IM-1SSL-Fillable-Secured-6-24-21.pdf</u>. Please write "Facility Outreach" at the top of the application.

INCOME GUIDELINES EFFECTIVE APRIL 1, 2023

Children under age 1 at 196% of the federal poverty level:			
Family Size	Income Limit*		
1	\$2382		
2	\$3221		
3	\$4061		
4	\$4900		
5	\$5740		

Children ages 1-18 at 148% of the federal poverty level:			
Family Size	Income Limit*		
1	\$1799		
2	\$2433		
3	\$3067		
4	\$3700		
5	\$4334		

150% of the federal poverty level:		
Family Size	Income Limit*	
1	\$1823	
2	\$2465	
3	\$3108	
4	\$3750	
5	\$4393	

300% of the federal poverty level:		
Family Size	Income Limit*	
1	\$3645	
2	\$4930	
3	\$6215	
4	\$7500	
5	\$8785	

^{*}The Federal Poverty level changes in April.